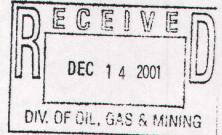
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Bond Rider No. -1-

To be attached and form part of State of Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act Surety Bond

Bond No.

on behalf of Cominco American Incorporated as PRINCIPAL and the State of Utah (Division of Oil, Gas and Mining) as OBLIGEE and by United States Fidelity And Guaranty Company as SURETY.



It is hereby agreed that the above-mentioned bond is amended as follows:

Name of Principal:

From: Cominco American Incorporated

To:

Teck Cominco American Incorporated

Name of Surety:

From: United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company

o: St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company

Bond Number:

From:

To:

and not as previously shown.

Nothing herein contained shall be held to vary, alter, waive or extend any of the terms and conditions of the under-mentioned bond other than as above stated.

This Rider shall be effective from 12 o'clock, Noon, of the 2nd day of November, 2001.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Surety signed this form in Vancouver, BC, this 2nd day of November, 2001.

Teck Cominco Américan Incorporated

C. Bruce DiLuzio V.P., Law & Administration

St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company

Laurie Landy - Attorney-In-Fact